MODIFIED PTO/SB/08 (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0851-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paper ack Reduction Act \$1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of Information unless it contains a valid OMB control number,

12

SUBSTITUTE 1449B/PTO
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

Date Submitted: August 11, 2004

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of

Complete if Known					
Application Number	10/802,036				
Filing Date	March 17, 2004				
First Named Inventor	Gil M. VARDI				
Group Art Unit	3730 %				
Examiner Name	Unassigned				
Attorney Docket Number	021617.0253C2US				

				U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Examiner Initiats*	034	U.S. Patent Document			Date of Publication of	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant
	Cite No.1	Number ·	Kind Code ² (if known)	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
BP		1,598,754		J.D. MOSCHELLE	08/17/1926	
1		3,857,744	i	ERSEK	04/25/1972	
		3,872,893	I	ROBERTS	03/25/1975	
		4,140,126		CHOUDHURY	02/20/1979	
		4,309,994		GRUNWALD	01/12/1982	
		4,410,476		REDDING et al.	10/18/1983	
		4,413,989	1	SCHJELDAHL	11/08/1983	
		4,421,810		RASMUSSEN	12/20/1983	
		4,453,545	1	INOUE	08/12/1984	
		4,503,569		DOTTER	03/12/1985	
		4,552,554		GOULD et al.	11/12/1985	
		4,681,570		DALTON	07/21/1987	
		4,689,174		LUPKE	08/25/1987	
		4,731,055		MELINYSHYN et al.	03/15/1988	
		4,733,665		PALMAZ	03/29/1988	
		4,739,762		PALMAZ	04/26/1988	
		4,759,748		REED	07/26/1988 88	
		4,762,128		ROSENBLUTH	12/22/1000 %/	1688
		4,769,029		PATEL	09/08/1988_	
		4,819,684		NAZARI	04/11/1989	
	1	4,872,874		TAHERI	10/10/1989	
		4,878,495		GRAYZEL	11/07/1989	
		4,898,670		CRITTENDEN	01/30/1990	
		4,900,314		QUACKENBUSH	02/13/1990	
		4,908,244		PINCHUK et al.	03/06/1990	
		4,909,258		KUNTZ et al.	03/20/1990	
\neg		4,946,464		PEVSNER	08/07/1990	
		4,957,501		LAHILLE et al.	09/18/1980	
		4,957,508		KANEKO et al.	09/18/1980	
		4,984,850	1	BOUTON et al.	10/23/1990	
		4,983,167		SAHOTA	01/08/1991	
	1	4,994,071	1	MACGREGOR	02/19/1991	
		5,042,976		ISHITSU et al.	08/27/1991	
		5,054,501		CHUTTANI et al.	10/08/1991	
		5,059,177	T	TOWNE et al.	10/22/1991	
_		5,081,240		CHERIAN	10/29/1991	
	1	5,084,435		PORTER	11/12/1991	
ΒP	1	5,085,684	1	BOZZO	02/04/1992	

Examiner Signature	Brin	Cellegran	Date Considered	yleglor	

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not diation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered, include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ²See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ²Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-latter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). °For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. "Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the Individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

1/2/08